



MEMORANDUM

TO: Toby Futrell, City Manager

FROM: Greg Canally, Budget Officer

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DATE: November 17, 2005

SUBJECT: Design Standards

Item # 46 on the November 17, 2005 Council Agenda is to approve revisions to the City's Design Standards Policy Document approved May 12, 2005, "Raising the Design Standards in Austin, Texas." At this time, department staff is undertaking an analysis of these proposed changes to the design standards as well as any financial impacts. Staff anticipates being able to present an item to Council in spring 2006 for adoption. A financial analysis and any possible impacts will be presented at that time as well. A budget amendment is not required for this item.